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- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
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- H.R. 3920** To improve the conditions for women inmates in jails and correctional facilities.
- H.R. 3987** To prevent children's access to firearms.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4066** To enhance the enforcement of gun violence laws.
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- H.Res. 561** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President should focus appropriate attention on the issue of neighborhood crime prevention, community policing and reduction of school crime by delivering speeches, convening meetings, and directing his Administration to make reducing crime an important priority.
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- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 833** To amend title 11 of the United States Code, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 851** To require the Federal Communications Commission to establish improved predictive models for determining the availability of television broadcast signals.
- H.R. 894** To encourage States to incarcerate individuals convicted of murder, rape, or child molestation.
- H.R. 1032** To prohibit civil liability actions from being brought or continued against manufacturers, distributors, dealers, or importers of firearms or ammunition for damages resulting from the misuse of their products by others.
- H.R. 1125** To amend the Trademark Act of 1946 to increase the penalties for infringing the rights pertaining to famous performing groups and to clarify the law pertaining to the rights of individuals who perform services as a group.
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- H.R. 2470** To ensure confidentiality with respect to medical records and health care-related information, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2528** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 2551** To amend title 18, United States Code, to require Federal Prison Industries to compete of its Federal contracts to minimize unfair competition with private firms (depriving law-abiding workers of job opportunities), to save taxpayer dollars by empowering Federal contracting officers to be able to acquire commercial products that better meet agencies' needs, more quickly and at less cost without having to obtain permission from Federal Prison Industries, to further empower contracting officers to compel Federal Prison Industries to fully perform its contract obligations to the same extent as all other contractors, and for other purposes.
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- H.R. 2634** To amend the Controlled Substances Act with respect to registration requirements for practitioners who dispense narcotic drugs in schedule IV or V for maintenance treatment or detoxification treatment.
- H.R. 2655** To restore the separation of powers between the Congress and the President.
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- H.R. 3308** To establish minimum standards of fair conduct in franchise sales and franchise business relationships, and for other purposes.
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- H.R. 3615** To amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to ensure improved access to the signals of local television stations by multi-channel video providers to all households which desire such service in unserved and underserved rural areas by December 31, 2006.
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- H.R. 1042** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to provide civil liability for illegal manufacturers and distributors of controlled substances for the harm caused by the use of those controlled substances.
- H.R. 2031** To provide for injunctive relief in Federal district court to enforce State laws relating to the interstate transportation of intoxicating liquor.
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- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.
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- H.R. 4339** To prohibit excessive concentration resulting from mergers among certain purchasers, processors, and sellers of livestock, poultry, and basic agricultural commodities; to require the Attorney General to establish an Office of Special Counsel for Agriculture, and for other purposes.
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- H.R. 2540** To establish grant programs and provide other forms of Federal assistance to pregnant women, children in need of adoptive families, and individuals and families adopting children.
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- H.Res. 111** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Supreme Court of the United States should improve its employment practices with regard to hiring more qualified minority applicants to serve as clerks to the Justices.
- H.J.Res. 31 \*** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to the right to life.
- H.Con.Res. 124** Expressing the sense of the Congress relating to recent allegations of espionage and illegal campaign financing that have brought into question the loyalty and probity of Americans of Asian ancestry.
- H.Con.Res. 240** Expressing the sense of Congress that Elian Gonzalez should be reunited with his father, Juan Gonzalez of Cuba.
- H.Con.Res. 305** Expressing the sense of the Congress that the presence of brain wave activity and spontaneous cardiac activity should be considered conclusive evidence of human life for legal purposes.

### OBEY, David R. of Wisconsin

- H.R. 371** To expedite the naturalization of aliens who served with special guerrilla units in Laos.
- H.R. 744** To rescind the consent of Congress to the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact.
- H.R. 1450** To protect the privacy of the individual with respect to the Social Security number and other personal information, and for other purposes.
- H.Con.Res. 377** Expressing the sense of Congress that the Supreme Court misinterpreted the First Amendment to the Constitution in the case of *Buckley v. Valeo*.

### OLVER, John W. of Massachusetts

- H.R. 36** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to eliminate the requirement that spouses and children of aliens eligible for adjustment of status under such Act be nationals of Nicaragua or Cuba and to provide to nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 40** To acknowledge the fundamental injustice, cruelty, brutality, and inhumanity of slavery in the United States and the 13 American colonies between 1619 and 1865 and to establish a commission to examine the institution of slavery, subsequently de jure and de facto racial and economic discrimination against African-Americans, and the impact of these forces on living African-Americans, to make recommendations to the Congress on appropriate remedies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 109** To better regulate the transfer of firearms at gun shows.
- H.R. 137** To prohibit discrimination or retaliation against health care workers who report unsafe conditions and practices which impact on patient care.
- H.R. 262** To waive certain prohibitions with respect to nationals of Cuba coming to the United States to play organized professional baseball.
- H.R. 315** To prevent handgun violence and illegal commerce in handguns.
- H.R. 357** To prevent violence against women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 371** To expedite the naturalization of aliens who served with special guerrilla units in Laos.
- H.R. 612** To protect the public, especially seniors, against telemarketing fraud, including fraud over the Internet, and to authorize an educational campaign to improve senior citizens' ability to protect themselves against telemarketing fraud.
- H.R. 837** To meet the mental health and substance abuse treatment needs of incarcerated children and youth.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 851** To require the Federal Communications Commission to establish improved predictive models for determining the availability of television broadcast signals.
- H.R. 872** To amend certain Federal civil rights statutes to prevent the involuntary application of arbitration to claims that arise from unlawful employment discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 919** To adjust the immigration status of certain Liberian nationals who were provided refuge in the United States.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 1057** To provide individuals with access to health information of which they are a subject, ensure personal privacy with respect to health-care-related information, impose criminal and civil penalties for unauthorized use of protected health information, to provide for the strong enforcement of these rights, and to protect States' rights.
- H.R. 1082** To enhance Federal enforcement of hate crimes, and for other purposes.

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- H.R. 1128** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to facilitate the immigration to the United States of certain aliens born in the Philippines or Japan who were fathered by United States citizens.
- H.R. 1202** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit interstate-connected conduct relating to exotic animals.
- H.R. 1248** To prevent violence against women.
- H.R. 1399** To amend title IV of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to provide States with the option to allow legal immigrant pregnant women, children, and blind or disabled medically needy individuals to be eligible for medical assistance under the Medicaid Program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1485** To permit certain long-term permanent resident aliens to seek cancellation of removal or waiver of inadmissibility under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1581** To end the use of steel-jawed leghold traps on animals in the United States.
- H.R. 1604** To reauthorize, and modify the conditions for, the consent of Congress to the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact and to grant the consent of Congress to the Southern Dairy Compact.
- H.R. 1671** To grant a Federal charter to Korean War Veterans Association, Incorporated.
- H.R. 1685** To provide for the recognition of electronic signatures for the conduct of interstate and foreign commerce, to restrict the transmission of certain electronic mail advertisements, to authorize the Federal Trade Commission to prescribe rules to protect the privacy of users of commercial Internet websites, to promote the rapid deployment of broadband Internet services, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1686** To ensure that the Internet remains open to fair competition, free from government regulation, and accessible to American consumers.
- H.R. 1841** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore eligibility for adjustment of status under section 245(i) of that Act.
- H.R. 1849** To require the Attorney General to promulgate regulations relating to gender-related persecution, including female genital mutilation, for use in determining an alien's eligibility for asylum or withholding of deportation.
- H.R. 2355** To prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.
- H.R. 2442** To provide for the preparation of a Government report detailing injustices suffered by Italian Americans during World War II, and a formal acknowledgment of such injustices by the President.
- H.R. 2551** To amend title 18, United States Code, to require Federal Prison Industries to compete of its Federal contracts to minimize unfair competition with private firms (depriving law-abiding workers of job opportunities), to save taxpayer dollars by empowering Federal contracting officers to be able to acquire commercial products that better meet agencies' needs, more quickly and at less cost without having to obtain permission from Federal Prison Industries, to further empower contracting officers to compel Federal Prison Industries to fully perform its contract obligations to the same extent as all other contractors, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2624** To protect women's reproductive health and constitutional right to choice, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2680** To replace the Immigration and Naturalization Service with the National Immigration Bureau, to separate the immigration enforcement and adjudication functions performed by officers and employees of the Bureau reporting to the Director, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore eligibility for adjustment of status under section 245(i) of that Act and to restructure the use of fees collected for providing adjudication and naturalization services, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2722** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to provide to certain nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2899** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to exempt certain elderly persons from demonstrating an understanding of the English language and the history, principles, and form of government of the United States as a requirement for naturalization, and to permit certain other elderly persons to take the history and government examination in a language of their choice.
- H.R. 3083** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide protection for battered immigrant women, and for other purposes.

- H.R. 3132** To provide grants to assist State and local prosecutors and law enforcement agencies with implementing juvenile and young adults witness assistance programs that minimize additional trauma to the witness and improve the chances of successful criminal prosecution or legal action.
- H.R. 3144** To provide reliable officers, technology, education, community prosecutors, and training in our neighborhoods.
- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3615** To amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to ensure improved access to the signals of local television stations by multi-channel video providers to all households which desire such service in unserved and underserved rural areas by December 31, 2006.
- H.R. 3650** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide a mechanism for United States citizens and lawful permanent residents to sponsor their permanent partners for residence in the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3732** To provide for direct payment by foreign students of the information fee under section 641 of the Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1997.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4066** To enhance the enforcement of gun violence laws.
- H.R. 4162** To assure protection for the substantive due process rights of the innocent, by providing a temporary moratorium on carrying out of the death penalty to assure that persons able to prove their innocence are not executed.
- H.R. 4167** To reduce the risk that innocent persons may be executed, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4707** To amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to permit States the option of coverage of legal immigrants under the Medicaid Program and the State children's health insurance program.
- H.Res. 35** Condemning the racism and bigotry espoused by the Council of Conservative Citizens.
- H.J.Res. 41** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to equal rights for men and women.
- H.Con.Res. 31** To designate a flag-pole upon which the flag of the United States is to be set at half-staff whenever a law enforcement officer is slain in the line of duty.
- H.Con.Res. 240** Expressing the sense of Congress that Elian Gonzalez should be reunited with his father, Juan Gonzalez of Cuba.
- H.Con.Res. 338** Expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the link between violence against animals and violence against humans and urging greater emphasis upon identifying and treating individuals who are guilty of violence against animals, which is a crime in its own right in all 50 States, in order to prevent violence against humans and urging research to increase understanding of the connection between cruelty to animals and violence against humans.

### ORTIZ, Solomon P. of Texas

- H.R. 36** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to eliminate the requirement that spouses and children of aliens eligible for adjustment of status under such Act be nationals of Nicaragua or Cuba and to provide to nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 1250** To amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to clarify and improve the requirements for the development of an automated entry-exit control system, to enhance land border control and enforcement, and for other purposes.



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- H.R. 1399** To amend title IV of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to provide States with the option to allow legal immigrant pregnant women, children, and blind or disabled medically needy individuals to be eligible for medical assistance under the Medicaid Program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1485** To permit certain long-term permanent resident aliens to seek cancellation of removal or waiver of inadmissibility under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1650** To amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to modify the requirements for implementation of an entry-exit control system.
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- H.R. 1841** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore eligibility for adjustment of status under section 245(i) of that Act.
- H.R. 1881** To modify the rate of basic pay and the classification of positions for certain United States Border Patrol agents, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1926** To provide for the granting of refugee status in the United States to nationals of certain foreign countries in which American Vietnam War POW/MIAs or American Korean War POW/MIAs may be present, if those nationals assist in the return to the United States of those POW/MIAs alive.
- H.R. 2125** To repeal the limitation on judicial jurisdiction imposed by section 377 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996.
- H.R. 2372** To simplify and expedite access to the Federal courts for injured parties whose rights and privileges, secured by the United States Constitution, have been deprived by final actions of Federal agencies, or other government officials or entities acting under color of State law; to prevent Federal courts from abstaining from exercising Federal jurisdiction in actions where no State law claim is alleged; to permit certification of unsettled State law questions that are essential to resolving Federal claims arising under the Constitution; and to clarify when government action is sufficiently final to ripen certain Federal claims arising under the Constitution.
- H.R. 2528** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 2722** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to provide to certain nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3144** To provide reliable officers, technology, education, community prosecutors, and training in our neighborhoods.
- H.R. 3149** To repeal the limitation on judicial jurisdiction imposed by section 377 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3918** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 4172** To amend section 249 of the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit the Attorney General to create a record of lawful admission for permanent residence for certain aliens who entered the United States prior to 1986.
- H.R. 4489** To amend section 110 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4590** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to establish special procedures for the filing and consideration of asylum applications by alien children who are unaccompanied by a parent or guardian and for the detention of any alien children unaccompanied by a parent or guardian.

- H.R. 4704** To provide for the appointment of additional Federal district judges, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4707** To amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to permit States the option of coverage of legal immigrants under the Medicaid Program and the State children's health insurance program.
- H.R. 4735** To allow certain individuals of Japanese ancestry who were brought forcibly to the United States from countries in Latin America during World War II and were interned in the United States to be provided restitution under the Civil Liberties Act of 1988, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 5456** To amend title 28, United States Code, to give district courts of the United States jurisdiction over competing State custody determinations, and for other purposes.
- H.Res. 35** Condemning the racism and bigotry espoused by the Council of Conservative Citizens.
- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
- H.Con.Res. 199** Expressing the sense of the Congress that prayers and invocations at public school sporting events contribute to the moral foundation of our Nation and urging the Supreme Court to uphold their constitutionality.

### OSE, Doug of California

- H.R. 218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.
- H.R. 461** To amend rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure regarding representations made to courts by or on behalf of, and court sanctions applicable with respect to, prisoners.
- H.R. 775** To establish certain procedures for civil actions brought for damages relating to the failure of any device or system to process or otherwise deal with the transition from the year 1999 to the year 2000, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 894** To encourage States to incarcerate individuals convicted of murder, rape, or child molestation.
- H.R. 1248** To prevent violence against women.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 2162** To prohibit the use of the equipment of an electronic mail service provider to send unsolicited commercial electronic mail in contravention of the provider's posted policy and to prohibit unauthorized use of Internet domain names.
- H.R. 2245** To ensure the liberties of the people by promoting federalism, to protect the reserved powers of the States, to impose accountability for Federal preemption of State and local laws, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2550** To compensate owners of private property for the effect of certain regulatory restrictions.
- H.R. 2633** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent the misuse of genuine and counterfeit police badges by those seeking to commit a crime, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2986** To provide that an application for an injunction restraining the enforcement, operation, or execution of a State law adopted by referendum may not be granted on the ground of the unconstitutionality of such law unless the application is heard and determined by a 3-judge court.
- H.R. 2987** To provide for the punishment of methamphetamine laboratory operators, provide additional resources to combat methamphetamine production, trafficking, and abuse in the United States, and for other purposes.

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- H.R. 2999** To permit the Attorney General to grant relief to certain permanent resident aliens of good moral character who are adversely affected by changes made in 1996 to the definition of aggravated felony under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and to amend certain provisions of such Act relating to detention of an alien pending and after a decision on whether the alien is to be removed from the United States.
- H.R. 3014** To amend title 18, United States Code, with regard to prison commissaries, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3590** To amend title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 to require, as a precondition to commencing a civil action with respect to a place of public accommodation or a commercial facility, that an opportunity be provided to correct alleged violations.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4248** To amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to prevent the proliferation of methamphetamine, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4493** To establish grants for drug treatment alternative to prison programs administered by State or local prosecutors.
- H.R. 4548** To establish a pilot program creating a system of registries of temporary agricultural workers to provide for a sufficient supply of such workers, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to streamline procedures for the temporary admission and extension of stay of nonimmigrant agricultural workers under the pilot program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4553** To combat club drug trafficking, distribution, and abuse in the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4848** To establish the Violence Against Women Office within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 5062** To establish the eligibility of certain aliens lawfully admitted for permanent residence for cancellation of removal under section 240A of the Immigration and Nationality Act.
- H.R. 5456** To amend title 28, United States Code, to give district courts of the United States jurisdiction over competing State custody determinations, and for other purposes.
- H.Res. 225** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives condemning the arson at three Sacramento, California, area synagogues on June 18, 1999, and affirming its opposition to all forms of hate crimes.
- H.Res. 226 \*** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives condemning the acts of arson at three Sacramento, California, area synagogues on June 18, 1999, and affirming its opposition to such crimes.
- H.Res. 605** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that communities should implement the Amber Plan to expedite the recovery of abducted children.
- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
- H.Con.Res. 30** To express the sense of the Congress that any Executive order that infringes on the powers and duties of the Congress under article I, section 8 of the Constitution, or that would require the expenditure of Federal funds not specifically appropriated for the purpose of the Executive order, is advisory only and has no force or effect unless enacted as law.
- H.Con.Res. 124** Expressing the sense of the Congress relating to recent allegations of espionage and illegal campaign financing that have brought into question the loyalty and probity of Americans of Asian ancestry.

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- H.R. 872** To amend certain Federal civil rights statutes to prevent the involuntary application of arbitration to claims that arise from unlawful employment discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 906** To secure the Federal voting rights of persons who have been released from incarceration.
- H.R. 919** To adjust the immigration status of certain Liberian nationals who were provided refuge in the United States.
- H.R. 939** To amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to eliminate certain mandatory minimum penalties relating to crack cocaine offenses.
- H.R. 943** To reimburse an individual who is the subject of an independent counsel's investigation and is indicted but found not guilty for attorneys' fees.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 984** To provide additional trade benefits to certain beneficiary countries in the Caribbean, to provide assistance to the countries in Central America and the Caribbean affected by Hurricane Mitch and Hurricane Georges, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1048** To amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to make such title fully applicable to the judicial branch of the Federal Government.
- H.R. 1082** To enhance Federal enforcement of hate crimes, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1248** To prevent violence against women.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1371** To amend the Federal tort claims provisions of title 28, United States Code, to repeal the exception for claims arising outside the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1399** To amend title IV of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to provide States with the option to allow legal immigrant pregnant women, children, and blind or disabled medically needy individuals to be eligible for medical assistance under the Medicaid Program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1443** To provide for the collection of data on traffic stops.
- H.R. 1485** To permit certain long-term permanent resident aliens to seek cancellation of removal or waiver of inadmissibility under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1512** To improve the safety of firearms.
- H.R. 1531** To ensure safety in public schools by increasing police presence.
- H.R. 1681** To concentrate Federal resources aimed at the prosecution of drug offenses on those offenses that are major.
- H.R. 1702** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban using the Internet to obtain or dispose of a firearm.
- H.R. 1841** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore eligibility for adjustment of status under section 245(i) of that Act.

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- H.R. 1871** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to make permanent the special immigrant religious worker program.
- H.R. 2059** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to extend the retroactive eligibility dates for financial assistance for higher education for spouses and dependant children of Federal, State, and local law enforcement officers who are killed in the line of duty.
- H.R. 2121** To ensure that no alien is removed, denied a benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act, or otherwise deprived of liberty, based on evidence that is kept secret from the alien.
- H.R. 2125** To repeal the limitation on judicial jurisdiction imposed by section 377 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996.
- H.R. 2161** To amend title 18 of the United States Code to prohibit shipping alcohol to minors.
- H.R. 2287** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to ensure that veterans of the United States Armed Forces are eligible for discretionary relief from detention, deportation, exclusion, and removal, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2355** To prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.
- H.R. 2442** To provide for the preparation of a Government report detailing injustices suffered by Italian Americans during World War II, and a formal acknowledgment of such injustices by the President.
- H.R. 2722** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to provide to certain nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2780** To authorize the Attorney General to provide grants for organizations to find missing adults.
- H.R. 2816** To establish a grant program to assist State and local law enforcement in deterring, investigating, and prosecuting computer crimes.
- H.R. 2883** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to confer United States citizenship automatically and retroactively on certain foreign-born children adopted by citizens of the United States.
- H.R. 2899** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to exempt certain elderly persons from demonstrating an understanding of the English language and the history, principles, and form of government of the United States as a requirement for naturalization, and to permit certain other elderly persons to take the history and government examination in a language of their choice.
- H.R. 2916** To amend title 18, United States Code, to require persons to obtain a State license before receiving a handgun or handgun ammunition.
- H.R. 2927** To amend title 35, United States Code, to provide for compulsory licensing of certain patented inventions relating to health.
- H.R. 3083** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide protection for battered immigrant women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3087** To provide assistance to State and local forensic laboratories in analyzing DNA samples from convicted offenders, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3132** To provide grants to assist State and local prosecutors and law enforcement agencies with implementing juvenile and young adults witness assistance programs that minimize additional trauma to the witness and improve the chances of successful criminal prosecution or legal action.
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- H.R. 3233** To amend the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure to allow a defendant to make a motion for forensic testing not available at trial regarding actual innocence.
- H.R. 3295** To provide for the payment of compensation to the families of the Federal employees who were killed in the crash of a United States Air Force CT-43A aircraft on April 3, 1996, near Dubrovnik, Croatia, carrying Secretary of Commerce Ronald H. Brown and 34 others.
- H.R. 3315** To limit the effects of witnessing or experiencing violence on children.
- H.R. 3575** To prohibit high school and college sports gambling in all States including States where such gambling was permitted prior to 1991.
- H.R. 3650** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide a mechanism for United States citizens and lawful permanent residents to sponsor their permanent partners for residence in the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3732** To provide for direct payment by foreign students of the information fee under section 641 of the Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1997.
- H.R. 3920** To improve the conditions for women inmates in jails and correctional facilities.
- H.R. 3927** To encourage greater community accountability of law enforcement agencies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3981** To encourage greater community accountability of law enforcement agencies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
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- H.R. 4162** To assure protection for the substantive due process rights of the innocent, by providing a temporary moratorium on carrying out of the death penalty to assure that persons able to prove their innocence are not executed.
- H.R. 4172** To amend section 249 of the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit the Attorney General to create a record of lawful admission for permanent residence for certain aliens who entered the United States prior to 1986.
- H.R. 4359 \*** To provide for permanent resident status for any alien orphan physically present in the United States who is less than 12 years of age and to provide for deferred enforced departure status for any alien physically present in the United States who is the natural and legal parent of a child born in the United States who is less than 18 years of age.
- H.R. 4559** To extend the Brady Law to firearms won in lotteries.
- H.R. 4772 \*** To provide for prices of pharmaceutical products that are fair to the producer and the consumer, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4798** To reduce the backlog in the processing of immigration benefit applications and to make improvements to infrastructure necessary for the effective provision of immigration services, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4848** To establish the Violence Against Women Office within the Department of Justice.
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- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 735** To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide specific penalties for taking a firearm from a Federal law enforcement officer.
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- H.R. 1356** To end international sexual trafficking, and for other purposes.
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- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2382** To promote the improvement of information on, and protections against, child sexual abuse.
- H.R. 2436** To amend title 18, United States Code, and the Uniform Code of Military Justice to protect unborn children from assault and murder, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2528** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
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- H.R. 3660** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban partial-birth abortions.
- H.R. 3732** To provide for direct payment by foreign students of the information fee under section 641 of the Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1997.
- H.R. 3918** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 3983** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to promote a fairer and more efficient means for using highly skilled workers, to improve the collection and use of H-1B nonimmigrant fees, and for other purposes.
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- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4051** To establish a grant program that provides incentives for States to enact mandatory minimum sentences for certain firearms offenses, and for other purposes.
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- H.Res. 561** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President should focus appropriate attention on the issue of neighborhood crime prevention, community policing and reduction of school crime by delivering speeches, convening meetings, and directing his Administration to make reducing crime an important priority.
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- H.J.Res. 37** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.J.Res. 94** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.J.Res. 102** Recognizing that the Birmingham Pledge has made a significant contribution in fostering racial harmony and reconciliation in the United States and around the world, and for other purposes.
- H.Con.Res. 16** Expressing the sense of the Congress that Jonathan Jay Pollard should serve his full sentence of life imprisonment and should not receive pardon, reprieve, or any other form of executive clemency from the President of the United States.
- H.Con.Res. 285** Expressing the sense of Congress regarding Internet security and "cyberterrorism".
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- H.R. 41** To effect a moratorium on immigration by aliens other than refugees, priority workers, and the spouses and children of United States citizens.
- H.R. 50** To amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States.
- H.R. 73** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to deny citizenship at birth to children born in the United States of parents who are not citizens or permanent resident aliens.
- H.R. 123** To amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States.
- H.R. 218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.
- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 639** To implement equal protection under the 14th article of amendment to the Constitution for the right to life of each born and preborn human person from the moment of fertilization.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 894** To encourage States to incarcerate individuals convicted of murder, rape, or child molestation.
- H.R. 1002** To amend the Act popularly known as the Declaration of Taking Act to require that all condemnations of property by the Government proceed under that Act.
- H.R. 1032** To prohibit civil liability actions from being brought or continued against manufacturers, distributors, dealers, or importers of firearms or ammunition for damages resulting from the misuse of their products by others.
- H.R. 1218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions.
- H.R. 1283** To establish legal standards and procedures for the fair, prompt, inexpensive, and efficient resolution of personal injury claims arising out of asbestos exposure, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1349** To amend title 18, United States Code, to combat the overutilization of prison health care services and control rising prisoner health care costs.
- H.R. 1658** To provide a more just and uniform procedure for Federal civil forfeitures, and for other purposes.

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- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2372** To simplify and expedite access to the Federal courts for injured parties whose rights and privileges, secured by the United States Constitution, have been deprived by final actions of Federal agencies, or other government officials or entities acting under color of State law; to prevent Federal courts from abstaining from exercising Federal jurisdiction in actions where no State law claim is alleged; to permit certification of unsettled State law questions that are essential to resolving Federal claims arising under the Constitution; and to clarify when government action is sufficiently final to ripen certain Federal claims arising under the Constitution.
- H.R. 2436** To amend title 18, United States Code, and the Uniform Code of Military Justice to protect unborn children from assault and murder, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2528** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 2550** To compensate owners of private property for the effect of certain regulatory restrictions.
- H.R. 2551** To amend title 18, United States Code, to require Federal Prison Industries to compete of its Federal contracts to minimize unfair competition with private firms (depriving law-abiding workers of job opportunities), to save taxpayer dollars by empowering Federal contracting officers to be able to acquire commercial products that better meet agencies' needs, more quickly and at less cost without having to obtain permission from Federal Prison Industries, to further empower contracting officers to compel Federal Prison Industries to fully perform its contract obligations to the same extent as all other contractors, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2740** To provide for the appointment of additional Federal district judges in the Southern District of California.
- H.R. 2986** To provide that an application for an injunction restraining the enforcement, operation, or execution of a State law adopted by referendum may not be granted on the ground of the unconstitutionality of such law unless the application is heard and determined by a 3-judge court.
- H.R. 3575** To prohibit high school and college sports gambling in all States including States where such gambling was permitted prior to 1991.
- H.R. 3590** To amend title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 to require, as a precondition to commencing a civil action with respect to a place of public accommodation or a commercial facility, that an opportunity be provided to correct alleged violations.
- H.R. 3660** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban partial-birth abortions.
- H.R. 3918** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 4045** To amend the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 to provide enhanced penalties for crimes of violence against children under age 13.
- H.R. 4248** To amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to prevent the proliferation of methamphetamine, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4282** To provide Federal reimbursement for indirect costs relating to the incarceration of illegal aliens and for emergency health services furnished to undocumented aliens.
- H.Res. 226** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives condemning the acts of arson at three Sacramento, California, area synagogues on June 18, 1999, and affirming its opposition to such crimes.

- H.J.Res. 1** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution to provide for a balanced budget for the United States Government and for greater accountability in the enactment of tax legislation.
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- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
- H.J.Res. 37** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.J.Res. 45** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to abolish the Federal income tax.
- H.J.Res. 94** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.Con.Res. 180** Expressing the sense of Congress that the President should not have granted clemency to terrorists.
- H.Con.Res. 305** Expressing the sense of the Congress that the presence of brain wave activity and spontaneous cardiac activity should be considered conclusive evidence of human life for legal purposes.

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- H.R. 36** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to eliminate the requirement that spouses and children of aliens eligible for adjustment of status under such Act be nationals of Nicaragua or Cuba and to provide to nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.
- H.R. 243** To provide for reviews of criminal records of applicants for participation in shared housing arrangements, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 270** To amend the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to protect first amendment rights, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 271** To amend title 28, United States Code, relating to jurisdictional immunities of the Federal Republic of Germany, to grant jurisdiction to the courts of the United States in certain cases involving acts of genocide occurring against certain individuals during World War II in the predecessor states of the Federal Republic of Germany, or in any territories or areas occupied, annexed, or otherwise controlled by those states.
- H.R. 315** To prevent handgun violence and illegal commerce in handguns.
- H.R. 357** To prevent violence against women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 417** To amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for elections for Federal office, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 576** To amend title 4, United States Code, to add the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday to the list of days on which the flag should especially be displayed.
- H.R. 840 \*** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit the admission to the United States of nonimmigrant students and visitors who are the spouses and children of United States permanent resident aliens, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 1082** To enhance Federal enforcement of hate crimes, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1202** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit interstate-connected conduct relating to exotic animals.
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- H.R. 1485** To permit certain long-term permanent resident aliens to seek cancellation of removal or waiver of inadmissibility under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1581** To end the use of steel-jawed leghold traps on animals in the United States.
- H.R. 1676 \*** To amend part Q of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1965 to prevent motorist stops motivated by race or other bias.
- H.R. 1926** To provide for the granting of refugee status in the United States to nationals of certain foreign countries in which American Vietnam War POW/MIAs or American Korean War POW/MIAs may be present, if those nationals assist in the return to the United States of those POW/MIAs alive.
- H.R. 2014** To prohibit a State from imposing a discriminatory commuter tax on nonresidents.
- H.R. 2025** To ban the manufacture of handguns that cannot be personalized, to provide for a report to the Congress on the commercial feasibility of personalizing firearms, and to provide for grants to improve firearms safety.
- H.R. 2121** To ensure that no alien is removed, denied a benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act, or otherwise deprived of liberty, based on evidence that is kept secret from the alien.
- H.R. 2161** To amend title 18 of the United States Code to prohibit shipping alcohol to minors.
- H.R. 2257** To provide for a 1-year moratorium on the disclosure of certain submissions under section 112(r) of the Clean Air Act to provide for the reporting of certain site security information to the Congress, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2355** To prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.
- H.R. 2442** To provide for the preparation of a Government report detailing injustices suffered by Italian Americans during World War II, and a formal acknowledgment of such injustices by the President.
- H.R. 2503** To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to deter the smuggling of tobacco products into the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2722** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to provide to certain nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2929** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit certain conduct relating to elephants.
- H.R. 3001 \*** To amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to promote clinical research and development on dietary supplements and foods for their health benefits; to establish a new legal classification for dietary supplements and food with health benefits, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3083** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide protection for battered immigrant women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3144** To provide reliable officers, technology, education, community prosecutors, and training in our neighborhoods.
- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3235** To improve academic and social outcomes for youth and reduce both juvenile crime and the risk that youth will become victims of crime by providing productive activities conducted by law enforcement personnel during non-school hours.
- H.R. 3463** To amend title 36, United States Code, to grant a Federal charter to the Ukrainian American Veterans, Incorporated.
- H.R. 3495** To establish a compensation program for Department of Energy employees injured in Federal nuclear activities.

- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4681** To provide for the adjustment of status of certain Syrian nationals.
- H.R. 4848** To establish the Violence Against Women Office within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 5456** To amend title 28, United States Code, to give district courts of the United States jurisdiction over competing State custody determinations, and for other purposes.
- H.Res. 35** Condemning the racism and bigotry espoused by the Council of Conservative Citizens.
- H.Res. 165** Acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the men and women who have lost their lives while serving as law enforcement officers.
- H.Res. 226** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives condemning the acts of arson at three Sacramento, California, area synagogues on June 18, 1999, and affirming its opposition to such crimes.
- H.Res. 428** Condemning the discriminatory practices prevalent at Bob Jones University.
- H.Res. 561** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President should focus appropriate attention on the issue of neighborhood crime prevention, community policing and reduction of school crime by delivering speeches, convening meetings, and directing his Administration to make reducing crime an important priority.
- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
- H.J.Res. 38** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States repealing the twenty-second article of amendment to the Constitution.
- H.J.Res. 41** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to equal rights for men and women.
- H.Con.Res. 141** Celebrating One America.
- H.Con.Res. 261** Condemning the discriminatory practices prevalent at Bob Jones University.

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- H.R. 36** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to eliminate the requirement that spouses and children of aliens eligible for adjustment of status under such Act be nationals of Nicaragua or Cuba and to provide to nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 40** To acknowledge the fundamental injustice, cruelty, brutality, and inhumanity of slavery in the United States and the 13 American colonies between 1619 and 1865 and to establish a commission to examine the institution of slavery, subsequently de jure and de facto racial and economic discrimination against African-Americans, and the impact of these forces on living African-Americans, to make recommendations to the Congress on appropriate remedies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 137** To prohibit discrimination or retaliation against health care workers who report unsafe conditions and practices which impact on patient care.
- H.R. 271** To amend title 28, United States Code, relating to jurisdictional immunities of the Federal Republic of Germany, to grant jurisdiction to the courts of the United States in certain cases involving acts of genocide occurring against certain individuals during World War II in the predecessor states of the Federal Republic of Germany, or in any territories or areas occupied, annexed, or otherwise controlled by those states.
- H.R. 315** To prevent handgun violence and illegal commerce in handguns.
- H.R. 357** To prevent violence against women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 417** To amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for elections for Federal office, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 515** To prevent children from injuring themselves with handguns.

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- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 612** To protect the public, especially seniors, against telemarketing fraud, including fraud over the Internet, and to authorize an educational campaign to improve senior citizens' ability to protect themselves against telemarketing fraud.
- H.R. 902** To regulate the sale of firearms at gun shows.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 1037** To ban the importation of large capacity ammunition feeding devices, and to extend the ban on transferring such devices to those that were manufactured before the ban became law.
- H.R. 1062** To amend section 922(t) of title 18, United States Code, to require the reporting of information to the chief law enforcement officer of the buyer's residence and to require a minimum 72-hour waiting period before the purchase of a handgun, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1082** To enhance Federal enforcement of hate crimes, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1202** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit interstate-connected conduct relating to exotic animals.
- H.R. 1248** To prevent violence against women.
- H.R. 1283** To establish legal standards and procedures for the fair, prompt, inexpensive, and efficient resolution of personal injury claims arising out of asbestos exposure, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1293** To amend title 46, United States Code, to provide equitable treatment with respect to State and local income taxes for certain individuals who perform duties on vessels.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1342** To protect children from firearms violence.
- H.R. 1424** To limit access to body armor by violent felons and to facilitate the donation of Federal surplus body armor to State and local law enforcement agencies.
- H.R. 1581** To end the use of steel-jawed leghold traps on animals in the United States.
- H.R. 1788** To deny Federal public benefits to individuals who participated in Nazi persecution.
- H.R. 1841** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore eligibility for adjustment of status under section 245(i) of that Act.
- H.R. 1862** To combat nursing home fraud and abuse, increase protections for victims of telemarketing fraud, enhance safeguards for pension plans and health care benefit programs, and enhance penalties for crimes against seniors, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1871** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to make permanent the special immigrant religious worker program.
- H.R. 1882** To amend provisions of law enacted by the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996 to ensure full analysis of potential impacts on small entities of rules proposed by certain agencies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2014** To prohibit a State from imposing a discriminatory commuter tax on nonresidents.
- H.R. 2025 \*** To ban the manufacture of handguns that cannot be personalized, to provide for a report to the Congress on the commercial feasibility of personalizing firearms, and to provide for grants to improve firearms safety.
- H.R. 2121** To ensure that no alien is removed, denied a benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act, or otherwise deprived of liberty, based on evidence that is kept secret from the alien.
- H.R. 2355** To prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.
- H.R. 2442** To provide for the preparation of a Government report detailing injustices suffered by Italian Americans during World War II, and a formal acknowledgment of such injustices by the President.
- H.R. 2722** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to provide to certain nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2741** To adjust the immigration status of certain Colombian and Peruvian nationals who are in the United States.
- H.R. 2883** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to confer United States citizenship automatically and retroactively on certain foreign-born children adopted by citizens of the United States.
- H.R. 3083** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide protection for battered immigrant women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3132** To provide grants to assist State and local prosecutors and law enforcement agencies with implementing juvenile and young adults witness assistance programs that minimize additional trauma to the witness and improve the chances of successful criminal prosecution or legal action.
- H.R. 3144** To provide reliable officers, technology, education, community prosecutors, and training in our neighborhoods.
- H.R. 3463** To amend title 36, United States Code, to grant a Federal charter to the Ukrainian American Veterans, Incorporated.
- H.R. 3485** To modify the enforcement of certain anti-terrorism judgments, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3896** To amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide standards and procedures to guide both State and local law enforcement agencies and law enforcement officers during internal investigations, interrogation of law enforcement officers, and administrative disciplinary hearings, to ensure accountability of law enforcement officers, to guarantee the due process rights of law enforcement officers, and to require States to enact law enforcement discipline, accountability, and due process laws.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4066** To enhance the enforcement of gun violence laws.
- H.R. 4329** To amend title 18, United States Code, to make it illegal to operate a motor vehicle with a drug or alcohol in the body of the driver at a land border port of entry, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4827** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent the entry by false pretenses to any real property, vessel, or aircraft of the United States or secure area of any airport, to prevent the misuse of genuine and counterfeit police badges by those seeking to commit a crime, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4848** To establish the Violence Against Women Office within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 4961** To amend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 to clarify the intent of Congress.
- H.R. 5456** To amend title 28, United States Code, to give district courts of the United States jurisdiction over competing State custody determinations, and for other purposes.
- H.Res. 35** Condemning the racism and bigotry espoused by the Council of Conservative Citizens.
- H.Res. 165** Acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the men and women who have lost their lives while serving as law enforcement officers.
- H.Res. 498** Supporting the Million Mom March.
- H.Res. 561** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President should focus appropriate attention on the issue of neighborhood crime prevention, community policing and reduction of school crime by delivering speeches, convening meetings, and directing his Administration to make reducing crime an important priority.
- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
- H.J.Res. 41** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to equal rights for men and women.
- H.Con.Res. 141** Celebrating One America.
- H.Con.Res. 240** Expressing the sense of Congress that Elian Gonzalez should be reunited with his father, Juan Gonzalez of Cuba.

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- H.R. 40** To acknowledge the fundamental injustice, cruelty, brutality, and inhumanity of slavery in the United States and the 13 American colonies between 1619 and 1865 and to establish a commission to examine the institution of slavery, subsequently de jure and de facto racial and economic discrimination against African-Americans, and the impact of these forces on living African-Americans, to make recommendations to the Congress on appropriate remedies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 85** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit, with certain exceptions, the transfer of a handgun to, or the possession of a handgun by, an individual who has not attained 21 years of age.
- H.R. 315** To prevent handgun violence and illegal commerce in handguns.
- H.R. 354** To amend title 17, United States Code, to provide protection for certain collections of information.
- H.R. 357** To prevent violence against women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 371** To expedite the naturalization of aliens who served with special guerrilla units in Laos.
- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 675** To provide jurisdiction and procedures for affording relief for injuries arising out of exposure to hazards involved in the mining and processing of beryllium.
- H.R. 833** To amend title 11 of the United States Code, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 872** To amend certain Federal civil rights statutes to prevent the involuntary application of arbitration to claims that arise from unlawful employment discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 1082** To enhance Federal enforcement of hate crimes, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1248** To prevent violence against women.
- H.R. 1250** To amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to clarify and improve the requirements for the development of an automated entry-exit control system, to enhance land border control and enforcement, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1293** To amend title 46, United States Code, to provide equitable treatment with respect to State and local income taxes for certain individuals who perform duties on vessels.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1342** To protect children from firearms violence.
- H.R. 1399** To amend title IV of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to provide States with the option to allow legal immigrant pregnant women, children, and blind or disabled medically needy individuals to be eligible for medical assistance under the Medicaid Program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1443** To provide for the collection of data on traffic stops.
- H.R. 1485** To permit certain long-term permanent resident aliens to seek cancellation of removal or waiver of inadmissibility under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1516** To amend the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act to provide for payment of compensation to individuals exposed to radiation as the result of working in uranium mines and mills which provided uranium for the use and benefit of the United States Government, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1531** To ensure safety in public schools by increasing police presence.
- H.R. 1584** To prohibit the distribution or receipt of restricted explosives without a Federal permit, and to require applications for such permits to include a photograph and the fingerprints of the applicant.
- H.R. 1598** To provide a patent term restoration review procedure for certain drug products.
- H.R. 1650** To amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to modify the requirements for implementation of an entry-exit control system.
- H.R. 1702** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban using the Internet to obtain or dispose of a firearm.
- H.R. 1791** To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide penalties for harming animals used in Federal law enforcement.
- H.R. 1811 \*** To amend the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act to provide adequate and certain remedies for sovereign tribal governments, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1841** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore eligibility for adjustment of status under section 245(i) of that Act.
- H.R. 1871** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to make permanent the special immigrant religious worker program.
- H.R. 1881** To modify the rate of basic pay and the classification of positions for certain United States Border Patrol agents, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1887** To amend title 18, United States Code, to punish the depiction of animal cruelty.
- H.R. 1895** To develop programs that enhance school safety for our children.
- H.R. 1926** To provide for the granting of refugee status in the United States to nationals of certain foreign countries in which American Vietnam War POW/MIAs or American Korean War POW/MIAs may be present, if those nationals assist in the return to the United States of those POW/MIAs alive.
- H.R. 2121** To ensure that no alien is removed, denied a benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act, or otherwise deprived of liberty, based on evidence that is kept secret from the alien.
- H.R. 2125** To repeal the limitation on judicial jurisdiction imposed by section 377 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996.
- H.R. 2287** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to ensure that veterans of the United States Armed Forces are eligible for discretionary relief from detention, deportation, exclusion, and removal, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2355** To prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.
- H.R. 2528** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 2558** To amend title 18, United States Code, to reform Federal Prison Industries, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2662** To provide for work authorization for nonimmigrant spouses of intracompany transferees, if the United States has an agreement with the country of which the transferee is a national under which United States nationals will be afforded reciprocal treatment.
- H.R. 2722** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to provide to certain nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2780** To authorize the Attorney General to provide grants for organizations to find missing adults.
- H.R. 3083** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide protection for battered immigrant women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3144** To provide reliable officers, technology, education, community prosecutors, and training in our neighborhoods.
- H.R. 3149** To repeal the limitation on judicial jurisdiction imposed by section 377 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, and for other purposes.

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- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3918** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 3920** To improve the conditions for women inmates in jails and correctional facilities.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4066** To enhance the enforcement of gun violence laws.
- H.R. 4172** To amend section 249 of the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit the Attorney General to create a record of lawful admission for permanent residence for certain aliens who entered the United States prior to 1986.
- H.R. 4282** To provide Federal reimbursement for indirect costs relating to the incarceration of illegal aliens and for emergency health services furnished to undocumented aliens.
- H.R. 4590** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to establish special procedures for the filing and consideration of asylum applications by alien children who are unaccompanied by a parent or guardian and for the detention of any alien children unaccompanied by a parent or guardian.
- H.R. 4707** To amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to permit States the option of coverage of legal immigrants under the Medicaid Program and the State children's health insurance program.
- H.R. 4798** To reduce the backlog in the processing of immigration benefit applications and to make improvements to infrastructure necessary for the effective provision of immigration services, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4848** To establish the Violence Against Women Office within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 4961** To amend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 to clarify the intent of Congress.
- H.R. 5035** To reduce fraud in connection with the provision of legal advice and other services to individuals applying for immigration benefits or otherwise involved in immigration proceedings by requiring paid immigration consultants to be licensed and otherwise provide services in a satisfactory manner.
- H.R. 5472** To provide grants for the purchase of firearms to States and units of local government that enforce certain rules designed to protect the public from the misuse of handguns.
- H.Res. 35** Condemning the racism and bigotry espoused by the Council of Conservative Citizens.
- H.Res. 165** Acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the men and women who have lost their lives while serving as law enforcement officers.
- H.J.Res. 41** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to equal rights for men and women.
- H.Con.Res. 31** To designate a flag-pole upon which the flag of the United States is to be set at half-staff whenever a law enforcement officer is slain in the line of duty.
- H.Con.Res. 141** Celebrating One America.

### PAUL, Ron of Texas

- H.R. 190** To amend the Community Reinvestment Act of 1977, the Equal Credit Opportunity Act, and the Fair Housing Act to improve the administration of such Acts, to prohibit redlining in connection with the provision of credit, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.
- H.R. 347** To protect the right to obtain firearms for security, and to use firearms in defense of self, family, or home, and to provide for the enforcement of such right.

- H.R. 407 \*** To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for reciprocity in regard to the manner in which nonresidents of a State may carry certain concealed firearms in that State.
- H.R. 639** To implement equal protection under the 14th article of amendment to the Constitution for the right to life of each born and preborn human person from the moment of fertilization.
- H.R. 881** To provide that under certain conditions no sanction shall be imposed on a person by an agency for a violation of a rule and no civil or criminal sanction may be imposed by a court for a violation of a rule.
- H.R. 1005** To amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1018** To require Congress to specify the source of authority under the United States Constitution for the enactment of laws, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1178** To amend section 922 of chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the rights of citizens under the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
- H.R. 1179 \*** To restore the second amendment rights of all Americans.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1573** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to exempt elementary and secondary schools from the fee imposed on employers filing petitions with respect to non-immigrant workers under the H-1B program.
- H.R. 1658** To provide a more just and uniform procedure for Federal civil forfeitures, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1789 \*** To restore the inherent benefits of the market economy by repealing the Federal body of statutory law commonly referred to as "antitrust law", and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2121** To ensure that no alien is removed, denied a benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act, or otherwise deprived of liberty, based on evidence that is kept secret from the alien.
- H.R. 2301** To require Congress and the President to fulfill their constitutional duty to take personal responsibility for Federal laws.
- H.R. 2452** To dismantle the Department of Commerce.
- H.R. 2655 \*** To restore the separation of powers between the Congress and the President.
- H.R. 2883** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to confer United States citizenship automatically and retroactively on certain foreign-born children adopted by citizens of the United States.
- H.R. 3307** To amend title 5 of the United States Code to require Federal agencies to conduct an assessment of the privacy implications resulting from a proposed rule.
- H.R. 3400 \*** To provide that the inferior courts of the United States do not have jurisdiction to hear abortion-related cases.
- H.R. 3444** To repeal section 658 of Public Law 104-208, commonly referred to as the Lautenberg amendment.
- H.R. 3667** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to modify the provisions governing naturalization of children born outside of the United States.
- H.R. 3691 \*** To provide that the inferior courts of the United States do not have jurisdiction to hear partial-birth abortion-related cases.
- H.R. 3732** To provide for direct payment by foreign students of the information fee under section 641 of the Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1997.
- H.R. 4198** To declare the policy of the United States with regard to the constitutional requirement of a decennial census for purposes of the apportionment of Representatives in Congress among the several States.
- H.R. 4257** To prohibit the use of Federal funds to give or withhold a preference to a marketer or vendor of firearms or ammunition based on whether the manufacturer or vendor is a party to a covered agreement, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4292** To protect infants who are born alive.
- H.R. 4689** To require Federal authorities to provide information in medical records seized from a medical practice to that practice in order to enable it to continue caring for its patients.

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- H.R. 5078 \*** To restore first amendment protections of religion and speech.
- H.R. 5306** To prohibit the use of Federal funds to discriminate against the Boy Scouts of America on the basis of beliefs promoted by that organization or that organization's constitutionally protected expression of beliefs or exercise of associational rights, and for other purposes.
- H.Res. 463** Expressing the disapproval of the House of Representatives regarding Presidential circumvention of the legislative authority of the Congress to set public policy.
- H.Res. 494** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Ohio State motto is constitutional and urging the courts to uphold its constitutionality.
- H.J.Res. 10** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide that no person born in the United States will be a United States citizen unless a parent is a United States citizen, is lawfully in the United States, or has a lawful immigration status at the time of the birth.
- H.J.Res. 37** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.J.Res. 45** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to abolish the Federal income tax.
- H.J.Res. 81 \*** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to abolishing personal income, estate, and gift taxes and prohibiting the United States Government from engaging in business in competition with its citizens.
- H.J.Res. 94** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.Con.Res. 30** To express the sense of the Congress that any Executive order that infringes on the powers and duties of the Congress under article I, section 8 of the Constitution, or that would require the expenditure of Federal funds not specifically appropriated for the purpose of the Executive order, is advisory only and has no force or effect unless enacted as law.
- H.Con.Res. 199** Expressing the sense of the Congress that prayers and invocations at public school sporting events contribute to the moral foundation of our Nation and urging the Supreme Court to uphold their constitutionality.
- H.Con.Res. 305** Expressing the sense of the Congress that the presence of brain wave activity and spontaneous cardiac activity should be considered conclusive evidence of human life for legal purposes.
- H.Con.Res. 443 \*** Expressing the sense of the Congress in reaffirming the United States of America as a republic.

### PAYNE, Donald M. of New Jersey

- H.R. 36** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to eliminate the requirement that spouses and children of aliens eligible for adjustment of status under such Act be nationals of Nicaragua or Cuba and to provide to nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 40** To acknowledge the fundamental injustice, cruelty, brutality, and inhumanity of slavery in the United States and the 13 American colonies between 1619 and 1865 and to establish a commission to examine the institution of slavery, subsequently de jure and de facto racial and economic discrimination against African-Americans, and the impact of these forces on living African-Americans, to make recommendations to the Congress on appropriate remedies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 262** To waive certain prohibitions with respect to nationals of Cuba coming to the United States to play organized professional baseball.

- H.R. 271** To amend title 28, United States Code, relating to jurisdictional immunities of the Federal Republic of Germany, to grant jurisdiction to the courts of the United States in certain cases involving acts of genocide occurring against certain individuals during World War II in the predecessor states of the Federal Republic of Germany, or in any territories or areas occupied, annexed, or otherwise controlled by those states.
- H.R. 315** To prevent handgun violence and illegal commerce in handguns.
- H.R. 357** To prevent violence against women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 515** To prevent children from injuring themselves with handguns.
- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 837** To meet the mental health and substance abuse treatment needs of incarcerated children and youth.
- H.R. 919** To adjust the immigration status of certain Liberian nationals who were provided refuge in the United States.
- H.R. 920** To expand the powers of the Secretary of the Treasury to regulate the manufacture, distribution, and sale of firearms and ammunition, and to expand the jurisdiction of the Secretary to include firearm products and non-powder firearms.
- H.R. 939** To amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to eliminate certain mandatory minimum penalties relating to crack cocaine offenses.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 984** To provide additional trade benefits to certain beneficiary countries in the Caribbean, to provide assistance to the countries in Central America and the Caribbean affected by Hurricane Mitch and Hurricane Georges, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1048** To amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to make such title fully applicable to the judicial branch of the Federal Government.
- H.R. 1082** To enhance Federal enforcement of hate crimes, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1248** To prevent violence against women.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1371** To amend the Federal tort claims provisions of title 28, United States Code, to repeal the exception for claims arising outside the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1399** To amend title IV of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to provide States with the option to allow legal immigrant pregnant women, children, and blind or disabled medically needy individuals to be eligible for medical assistance under the Medicaid Program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1443** To provide for the collection of data on traffic stops.
- H.R. 1512** To improve the safety of firearms.
- H.R. 1598** To provide a patent term restoration review procedure for certain drug products.
- H.R. 1681** To concentrate Federal resources aimed at the prosecution of drug offenses on those offenses that are major.
- H.R. 1702** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban using the Internet to obtain or dispose of a firearm.
- H.R. 1849** To require the Attorney General to promulgate regulations relating to gender-related persecution, including female genital mutilation, for use in determining an alien's eligibility for asylum or withholding of deportation.
- H.R. 2110 \*** To provide for the waiver of certain grounds of inadmissibility related to political activity in Northern Ireland or the Republic of Ireland for aliens married to United States citizens.
- H.R. 2355** To prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.

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- H.R. 2662** To provide for work authorization for nonimmigrant spouses of intracompany transferees, if the United States has an agreement with the country of which the transferee is a national under which United States nationals will be afforded reciprocal treatment.
- H.R. 2722** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to provide to certain nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2929** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit certain conduct relating to elephants.
- H.R. 3083** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide protection for battered immigrant women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3132** To provide grants to assist State and local prosecutors and law enforcement agencies with implementing juvenile and young adults witness assistance programs that minimize additional trauma to the witness and improve the chances of successful criminal prosecution or legal action.
- H.R. 3144** To provide reliable officers, technology, education, community prosecutors, and training in our neighborhoods.
- H.R. 3154** To combat trafficking of persons in the United States and countries around the world through prevention, prosecution and enforcement against traffickers, and protection and assistance to victims of trafficking.
- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3235** To improve academic and social outcomes for youth and reduce both juvenile crime and the risk that youth will become victims of crime by providing productive activities conducted by law enforcement personnel during non-school hours.
- H.R. 3295** To provide for the payment of compensation to the families of the Federal employees who were killed in the crash of a United States Air Force CT-43A aircraft on April 3, 1996, near Dubrovnik, Croatia, carrying Secretary of Commerce Ronald H. Brown and 34 others.
- H.R. 3315** To limit the effects of witnessing or experiencing violence on children.
- H.R. 3463** To amend title 36, United States Code, to grant a Federal charter to the Ukrainian American Veterans, Incorporated.
- H.R. 3508** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide status in each of fiscal years 2000 through 2002 for 65,000 H-1B nonimmigrants who have a master's or Ph. D. degree and meet the requirements for such status and whose employers make scholarship payments to institutions of higher education for undergraduate and postgraduate education.
- H.R. 3575** To prohibit high school and college sports gambling in all States including States where such gambling was permitted prior to 1991.
- H.R. 3920** To improve the conditions for women inmates in jails and correctional facilities.
- H.R. 3981** To encourage greater community accountability of law enforcement agencies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4066** To enhance the enforcement of gun violence laws.
- H.R. 4108** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to make grants to improve security at schools, including the placement and use of metal detectors.
- H.R. 4167** To reduce the risk that innocent persons may be executed, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4178** To establish a crime prevention and computer education initiative.
- H.R. 4707** To amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to permit States the option of coverage of legal immigrants under the Medicaid Program and the State children's health insurance program.
- H.R. 4772** To provide for prices of pharmaceutical products that are fair to the producer and the consumer, and for other purposes.

- H.R. 4798** To reduce the backlog in the processing of immigration benefit applications and to make improvements to infrastructure necessary for the effective provision of immigration services, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4848** To establish the Violence Against Women Office within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 4887** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for legal permanent resident status for certain undocumented or non-immigrant aliens.
- H.R. 4961** To amend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 to clarify the intent of Congress.
- H.R. 5091** To amend the Public Health Service Act to provide programs for the treatment of mental illness.
- H.Res. 35** Condemning the racism and bigotry espoused by the Council of Conservative Citizens.
- H.Res. 124** Condemning acts of police brutality and use of excessive force throughout the country.
- H.Res. 176** Recognizing the historical significance of the Supreme Court's unanimous decision in *Brown v. Board of Education*, repudiating segregation, and reaffirming the fundamental belief that we are all "one Nation under God, indivisible".
- H.Res. 466** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives with regard to the continued display of Confederate flags.
- H.J.Res. 41** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to equal rights for men and women.
- H.J.Res. 102** Recognizing that the Birmingham Pledge has made a significant contribution in fostering racial harmony and reconciliation in the United States and around the world, and for other purposes.
- H.Con.Res. 141** Celebrating One America.
- H.Con.Res. 240** Expressing the sense of Congress that Elian Gonzalez should be reunited with his father, Juan Gonzalez of Cuba.

### PEASE, Edward A. of Indiana

- H.R. 354** To amend title 17, United States Code, to provide protection for certain collections of information.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 1554** To amend the provisions of title 17, United States Code, and the Communications Act of 1934, relating to copyright licensing and carriage of broadcast signals by satellite.
- H.R. 1907** To amend title 35, United States Code, to provide enhanced protection for inventors and innovators, protect patent terms, reduce patent litigation, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2558** To amend title 18, United States Code, to reform Federal Prison Industries, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4034** To reauthorize the United States Patent and Trademark Office.
- H.R. 4068 \*** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to extend for an additional 3 years the special immigrant religious worker program.
- H.R. 5456** To amend title 28, United States Code, to give district courts of the United States jurisdiction over competing State custody determinations, and for other purposes.
- H.J.Res. 2** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to the number of terms of office of Members of the Senate and the House of Representatives.
- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
- H.J.Res. 37** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.J.Res. 94** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.

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### PELOSI, Nancy of California

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- H.R. 137** To prohibit discrimination or retaliation against health care workers who report unsafe conditions and practices which impact on patient care.
- H.R. 270** To amend the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to protect first amendment rights, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 271** To amend title 28, United States Code, relating to jurisdictional immunities of the Federal Republic of Germany, to grant jurisdiction to the courts of the United States in certain cases involving acts of genocide occurring against certain individuals during World War II in the predecessor states of the Federal Republic of Germany, or in any territories or areas occupied, annexed, or otherwise controlled by those states.
- H.R. 315** To prevent handgun violence and illegal commerce in handguns.
- H.R. 357** To prevent violence against women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 417** To amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for elections for Federal office, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 515** To prevent children from injuring themselves with handguns.
- H.R. 576** To amend title 4, United States Code, to add the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday to the list of days on which the flag should especially be displayed.
- H.R. 809** To amend the Act of June 1, 1948, to provide for reform of the Federal Protective Service.
- H.R. 837** To meet the mental health and substance abuse treatment needs of incarcerated children and youth.
- H.R. 872** To amend certain Federal civil rights statutes to prevent the involuntary application of arbitration to claims that arise from unlawful employment discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 902** To regulate the sale of firearms at gun shows.
- H.R. 906** To secure the Federal voting rights of persons who have been released from incarceration.
- H.R. 939** To amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to eliminate certain mandatory minimum penalties relating to crack cocaine offenses.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 1037** To ban the importation of large capacity ammunition feeding devices, and to extend the ban on transferring such devices to those that were manufactured before the ban became law.
- H.R. 1048** To amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to make such title fully applicable to the judicial branch of the Federal Government.
- H.R. 1057** To provide individuals with access to health information of which they are a subject, ensure personal privacy with respect to health-care-related information, impose criminal and civil penalties for unauthorized use of protected health information, to provide for the strong enforcement of these rights, and to protect States' rights.
- H.R. 1062** To amend section 922(t) of title 18, United States Code, to require the reporting of information to the chief law enforcement officer of the buyer's residence and to require a minimum 72-hour waiting period before the purchase of a handgun, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1082** To enhance Federal enforcement of hate crimes, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1128** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to facilitate the immigration to the United States of certain aliens born in the Philippines or Japan who were fathered by United States citizens.
- H.R. 1202** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit interstate-connected conduct relating to exotic animals.
- H.R. 1233** To regulate interstate commerce by providing a Federal cause of action against firearms manufacturers, dealers, and importers for the harm resulting from gun violence.
- H.R. 1248** To prevent violence against women.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1342** To protect children from firearms violence.
- H.R. 1371** To amend the Federal tort claims provisions of title 28, United States Code, to repeal the exception for claims arising outside the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1399** To amend title IV of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to provide States with the option to allow legal immigrant pregnant women, children, and blind or disabled medically needy individuals to be eligible for medical assistance under the Medicaid Program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1443** To provide for the collection of data on traffic stops.
- H.R. 1485** To permit certain long-term permanent resident aliens to seek cancellation of removal or waiver of inadmissibility under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1512** To improve the safety of firearms.
- H.R. 1581** To end the use of steel-jawed leghold traps on animals in the United States.
- H.R. 1849** To require the Attorney General to promulgate regulations relating to gender-related persecution, including female genital mutilation, for use in determining an alien's eligibility for asylum or withholding of deportation.
- H.R. 1887** To amend title 18, United States Code, to punish the depiction of animal cruelty.
- H.R. 2059** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to extend the retroactive eligibility dates for financial assistance for higher education for spouses and dependant children of Federal, State, and local law enforcement officers who are killed in the line of duty.
- H.R. 2121** To ensure that no alien is removed, denied a benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act, or otherwise deprived of liberty, based on evidence that is kept secret from the alien.
- H.R. 2340** To improve the quality, timeliness, and credibility of forensic science services for criminal justice purposes.
- H.R. 2355** To prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.
- H.R. 2442** To provide for the preparation of a Government report detailing injustices suffered by Italian Americans during World War II, and a formal acknowledgment of such injustices by the President.
- H.R. 2503** To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to deter the smuggling of tobacco products into the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2594** To provide grants to establish 25 demonstration mental health diversion courts.
- H.R. 2624** To protect women's reproductive health and constitutional right to choice, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2687** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to establish a 5-year pilot program under which certain aliens completing a postsecondary degree in mathematics, science, engineering, or computer science are permitted to change nonimmigrant classification in order to remain in the United States for a 5-year period for the purpose of working in one of those fields.
- H.R. 2722** To amend the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act to provide to certain nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Haiti an opportunity to apply for adjustment of status under that Act, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2899** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to exempt certain elderly persons from demonstrating an understanding of the English language and the history, principles, and form of government of the United States as a requirement for naturalization, and to permit certain other elderly persons to take the history and government examination in a language of their choice.
- H.R. 2916** To amend title 18, United States Code, to require persons to obtain a State license before receiving a handgun or handgun ammunition.
- H.R. 2929** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit certain conduct relating to elephants.
- H.R. 3020** To make illegal the sale of guns, ammunition, or explosives between private individuals over the Internet.
- H.R. 3083** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide protection for battered immigrant women, and for other purposes.

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- H.R. 3132** To provide grants to assist State and local prosecutors and law enforcement agencies with implementing juvenile and young adults witness assistance programs that minimize additional trauma to the witness and improve the chances of successful criminal prosecution or legal action.
- H.R. 3144** To provide reliable officers, technology, education, community prosecutors, and training in our neighborhoods.
- H.R. 3154** To combat trafficking of persons in the United States and countries around the world through prevention, prosecution and enforcement against traffickers, and protection and assistance to victims of trafficking.
- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3235** To improve academic and social outcomes for youth and reduce both juvenile crime and the risk that youth will become victims of crime by providing productive activities conducted by law enforcement personnel during non-school hours.
- H.R. 3295** To provide for the payment of compensation to the families of the Federal employees who were killed in the crash of a United States Air Force CT-43A aircraft on April 3, 1996, near Dubrovnik, Croatia, carrying Secretary of Commerce Ronald H. Brown and 34 others.
- H.R. 3650** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide a mechanism for United States citizens and lawful permanent residents to sponsor their permanent partners for residence in the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3732** To provide for direct payment by foreign students of the information fee under section 641 of the Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1997.
- H.R. 3981** To encourage greater community accountability of law enforcement agencies, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3983** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to promote a fairer and more efficient means for using highly skilled workers, to improve the collection and use of H-1B nonimmigrant fees, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4066** To enhance the enforcement of gun violence laws.
- H.R. 4162** To assure protection for the substantive due process rights of the innocent, by providing a temporary moratorium on carrying out of the death penalty to assure that persons able to prove their innocence are not executed.
- H.R. 4574** To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to make compensation for damages arising from a prescribed burn on the Banderier National Monument in the State of New Mexico.
- H.R. 4707** To amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to permit States the option of coverage of legal immigrants under the Medicaid Program and the State children's health insurance program.
- H.R. 4735** To allow certain individuals of Japanese ancestry who were brought forcibly to the United States from countries in Latin America during World War II and were interned in the United States to be provided restitution under the Civil Liberties Act of 1988, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4798** To reduce the backlog in the processing of immigration benefit applications and to make improvements to infrastructure necessary for the effective provision of immigration services, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4848** To establish the Violence Against Women Office within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 5456** To amend title 28, United States Code, to give district courts of the United States jurisdiction over competing State custody determinations, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 5472** To provide grants for the purchase of firearms to States and units of local government that enforce certain rules designed to protect the public from the misuse of handguns.
- H.Res. 35** Condemning the racism and bigotry espoused by the Council of Conservative Citizens.

- H.Res. 219** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives condemning the arson attacks against three California synagogues on June 18, 1999.
- H.Res. 226** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives condemning the acts of arson at three Sacramento, California, area synagogues on June 18, 1999, and affirming its opposition to such crimes.
- H.Res. 254** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives condemning recent hate crimes in Illinois and Indiana.
- H.J.Res. 41** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to equal rights for men and women.
- H.Con.Res. 111** Condemning all prejudice against Asian and Pacific Islander Americans in the United States and supporting political and civic participation by such Americans throughout the United States.
- H.Con.Res. 124** Expressing the sense of the Congress relating to recent allegations of espionage and illegal campaign financing that have brought into question the loyalty and probity of Americans of Asian ancestry.
- H.Con.Res. 240** Expressing the sense of Congress that Elian Gonzalez should be reunited with his father, Juan Gonzalez of Cuba.
- H.Con.Res. 338** Expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the link between violence against animals and violence against humans and urging greater emphasis upon identifying and treating individuals who are guilty of violence against animals, which is a crime in its own right in all 50 States, in order to prevent violence against humans and urging research to increase understanding of the connection between cruelty to animals and violence against humans.

### PETERSON, Collin C. of Minnesota

- H.R. 41** To effect a moratorium on immigration by aliens other than refugees, priority workers, and the spouses and children of United States citizens.
- H.R. 73** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to deny citizenship at birth to children born in the United States of parents who are not citizens or permanent resident aliens.
- H.R. 89** To amend title 17, United States Code, to reform the copyright law with respect to satellite retransmissions of broadcast signals, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 123** To amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States.
- H.R. 347** To protect the right to obtain firearms for security, and to use firearms in defense of self, family, or home, and to provide for the enforcement of such right.
- H.R. 354** To amend title 17, United States Code, to provide protection for certain collections of information.
- H.R. 371** To expedite the naturalization of aliens who served with special guerrilla units in Laos.
- H.R. 407** To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for reciprocity in regard to the manner in which nonresidents of a State may carry certain concealed firearms in that State.
- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 1178** To amend section 922 of chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the rights of citizens under the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
- H.R. 1218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions.
- H.R. 1248** To prevent violence against women.



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### PETERSON, Collin C. of Minnesota—Continued

- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1450** To protect the privacy of the individual with respect to the Social Security number and other personal information, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1650** To amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to modify the requirements for implementation of an entry-exit control system.
- H.R. 1691** To protect religious liberty.
- H.R. 1887** To amend title 18, United States Code, to punish the depiction of animal cruelty.
- H.R. 1926** To provide for the granting of refugee status in the United States to nationals of certain foreign countries in which American Vietnam War POW/MIAs or American Korean War POW/MIAs may be present, if those nationals assist in the return to the United States of those POW/MIAs alive.
- H.R. 2162** To prohibit the use of the equipment of an electronic mail service provider to send unsolicited commercial electronic mail in contravention of the provider's posted policy and to prohibit unauthorized use of Internet domain names.
- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2528** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 2727** To amend the Communications Act of 1934 to improve protections against telephone service "slamming" and provide protections against telephone billing "cramming", to provide the Federal Trade Commission jurisdiction over unfair and deceptive trade practices of telecommunications carriers, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3125** To prohibit Internet gambling, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3144** To provide reliable officers, technology, education, community prosecutors, and training in our neighborhoods.
- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3308** To establish minimum standards of fair conduct in franchise sales and franchise business relationships, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3615** To amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to ensure improved access to the signals of local television stations by multichannel video providers to all households which desire such service in unserved and underserved rural areas by December 31, 2006.
- H.R. 3660** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban partial-birth abortions.
- H.R. 3732** To provide for direct payment by foreign students of the information fee under section 641 of the Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1997.
- H.R. 3918** To establish the Bureau of Immigration Services and the Bureau of Immigration Enforcement within the Department of Justice.
- H.R. 4076** To provide for the effective punishment of online child molesters.
- H.R. 4489** To amend section 110 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4801 \*** To consolidate and revise the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture relating to protection of animal health.
- H.R. 4848** To establish the Violence Against Women Office within the Department of Justice.
- H.Res. 165** Acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the men and women who have lost their lives while serving as law enforcement officers.
- H.J.Res. 21** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States establishing English as the official language of the United States.

- H.J.Res. 31** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to the right to life.
- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
- H.Con.Res. 199** Expressing the sense of the Congress that prayers and invocations at public school sporting events contribute to the moral foundation of our Nation and urging the Supreme Court to uphold their constitutionality.

### PETERSON, John E. of Pennsylvania

- H.R. 89** To amend title 17, United States Code, to reform the copyright law with respect to satellite retransmissions of broadcast signals, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 123** To amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States.
- H.R. 218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.
- H.R. 347** To protect the right to obtain firearms for security, and to use firearms in defense of self, family, or home, and to provide for the enforcement of such right.
- H.R. 461** To amend rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure regarding representations made to courts by or on behalf of, and court sanctions applicable with respect to, prisoners.
- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 735** To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide specific penalties for taking a firearm from a Federal law enforcement officer.
- H.R. 833** To amend title 11 of the United States Code, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 851** To require the Federal Communications Commission to establish improved predictive models for determining the availability of television broadcast signals.
- H.R. 894** To encourage States to incarcerate individuals convicted of murder, rape, or child molestation.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 1002** To amend the Act popularly known as the Declaration of Taking Act to require that all condemnations of property by the Government proceed under that Act.
- H.R. 1032** To prohibit civil liability actions from being brought or continued against manufacturers, distributors, dealers, or importers of firearms or ammunition for damages resulting from the misuse of their products by others.
- H.R. 1178** To amend section 922 of chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the rights of citizens under the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
- H.R. 1218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions.
- H.R. 1283** To establish legal standards and procedures for the fair, prompt, inexpensive, and efficient resolution of personal injury claims arising out of asbestos exposure, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1349** To amend title 18, United States Code, to combat the overutilization of prison health care services and control rising prisoner health care costs.
- H.R. 1604** To reauthorize, and modify the conditions for, the consent of Congress to the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact and to grant the consent of Congress to the Southern Dairy Compact.
- H.R. 1650** To amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to modify the requirements for implementation of an entry-exit control system.

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- H.R. 1685** To provide for the recognition of electronic signatures for the conduct of interstate and foreign commerce, to restrict the transmission of certain electronic mail advertisements, to authorize the Federal Trade Commission to prescribe rules to protect the privacy of users of commercial Internet websites, to promote the rapid deployment of broadband Internet services, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1686** To ensure that the Internet remains open to fair competition, free from government regulation, and accessible to American consumers.
- H.R. 2031** To provide for injunctive relief in Federal district court to enforce State laws relating to the interstate transportation of intoxicating liquor.
- H.R. 2057** To amend the Revised Statutes of the United States to eliminate the chilling effect on the constitutionally protected expression of religion by State and local officials that results from the threat that potential litigants may seek damages and attorney's fees.
- H.R. 2162** To prohibit the use of the equipment of an electronic mail service provider to send unsolicited commercial electronic mail in contravention of the provider's posted policy and to prohibit unauthorized use of Internet domain names.
- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2372** To simplify and expedite access to the Federal courts for injured parties whose rights and privileges, secured by the United States Constitution, have been deprived by final actions of Federal agencies, or other government officials or entities acting under color of State law; to prevent Federal courts from abstaining from exercising Federal jurisdiction in actions where no State law claim is alleged; to permit certification of unsettled State law questions that are essential to resolving Federal claims arising under the Constitution; and to clarify when government action is sufficiently final to ripen certain Federal claims arising under the Constitution.
- H.R. 2550** To compensate owners of private property for the effect of certain regulatory restrictions.
- H.R. 2564** To provide funds to the National Center for Rural Law Enforcement.
- H.R. 2727** To amend the Communications Act of 1934 to improve protections against telephone service "slamming" and provide protections against telephone billing "cramming", to provide the Federal Trade Commission jurisdiction over unfair and deceptive trade practices of telecommunications carriers, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2926** To provide new patient protections under group health plans and through health insurance issuers in the group market.
- H.R. 3575** To prohibit high school and college sports gambling in all States including States where such gambling was permitted prior to 1991.
- H.R. 3615** To amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to ensure improved access to the signals of local television stations by multi-channel video providers to all households which desire such service in unserved and underserved rural areas by December 31, 2006.
- H.R. 3660** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban partial-birth abortions.
- H.R. 3983** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to promote a fairer and more efficient means for using highly skilled workers, to improve the collection and use of H-1B nonimmigrant fees, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4248** To amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to prevent the proliferation of methamphetamine, and for other purposes.
- H.Res. 165** Acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the men and women who have lost their lives while serving as law enforcement officers.
- H.J.Res. 1** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution to provide for a balanced budget for the United States Government and for greater accountability in the enactment of tax legislation.
- H.J.Res. 9** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to allow an item veto of appropriation bills.

- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
- H.J.Res. 37** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.J.Res. 53** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide for a balanced budget for the United States Government and for greater accountability in the enactment of tax legislation.
- H.J.Res. 66** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States restoring religious freedom.
- H.J.Res. 94** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations.
- H.Con.Res. 30** To express the sense of the Congress that any Executive order that infringes on the powers and duties of the Congress under article I, section 8 of the Constitution, or that would require the expenditure of Federal funds not specifically appropriated for the purpose of the Executive order, is advisory only and has no force or effect unless enacted as law.
- H.Con.Res. 305** Expressing the sense of the Congress that the presence of brain wave activity and spontaneous cardiac activity should be considered conclusive evidence of human life for legal purposes.

### PETRI, Thomas E. of Wisconsin

- H.R. 123** To amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States.
- H.R. 354** To amend title 17, United States Code, to provide protection for certain collections of information.
- H.R. 371** To expedite the naturalization of aliens who served with special guerrilla units in Laos.
- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 604** To amend the charter of the AMVETS organization.
- H.R. 639** To implement equal protection under the 14th article of amendment to the Constitution for the right to life of each born and preborn human person from the moment of fertilization.
- H.R. 744** To rescind the consent of Congress to the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact.
- H.R. 851** To require the Federal Communications Commission to establish improved predictive models for determining the availability of television broadcast signals.
- H.R. 1081** To provide for protection of the flag of the United States.
- H.R. 1178** To amend section 922 of chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the rights of citizens under the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
- H.R. 1283** To establish legal standards and procedures for the fair, prompt, inexpensive, and efficient resolution of personal injury claims arising out of asbestos exposure, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1650** To amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to modify the requirements for implementation of an entry-exit control system.
- H.R. 1854** To temporarily increase the number of visas available for backlogged spouses and children of lawful permanent resident aliens.
- H.R. 1907** To amend title 35, United States Code, to provide enhanced protection for inventors and innovators, protect patent terms, reduce patent litigation, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2121** To ensure that no alien is removed, denied a benefit under the Immigration and Nationality Act, or otherwise deprived of liberty, based on evidence that is kept secret from the alien.
- H.R. 2242** To establish limits on medical malpractice claims, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.

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- H.R. 3088** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide additional protections to victims of rape.
- H.R. 3575** To prohibit high school and college sports gambling in all States including States where such gambling was permitted prior to 1991.
- H.R. 3660** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban partial-birth abortions.
- H.R. 4167** To reduce the risk that innocent persons may be executed, and for other purposes.
- H.Res. 462** Directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to post on the official public Internet site of the House of Representatives all lobbying registrations and reports filed with the Clerk under the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995.
- H.Res. 561** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President should focus appropriate attention on the issue of neighborhood crime prevention, community policing and reduction of school crime by delivering speeches, convening meetings, and directing his Administration to make reducing crime an important priority.
- H.J.Res. 53** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide for a balanced budget for the United States Government and for greater accountability in the enactment of tax legislation.
- H.J.Res. 102** Recognizing that the Birmingham Pledge has made a significant contribution in fostering racial harmony and reconciliation in the United States and around the world, and for other purposes.
- H.Con.Res. 30** To express the sense of the Congress that any Executive order that infringes on the powers and duties of the Congress under article I, section 8 of the Constitution, or that would require the expenditure of Federal funds not specifically appropriated for the purpose of the Executive order, is advisory only and has no force or effect unless enacted as law.

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- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 612** To protect the public, especially seniors, against telemarketing fraud, including fraud over the Internet, and to authorize an educational campaign to improve senior citizens' ability to protect themselves against telemarketing fraud.
- H.R. 639** To implement equal protection under the 14th article of amendment to the Constitution for the right to life of each born and preborn human person from the moment of fertilization.
- H.R. 979** To ensure that services related to the operation of a correctional facility and the incarceration of inmates are not provided by private contractors or vendors and that persons convicted of any offenses against the United States shall be housed in facilities managed and maintained by Federal employees.
- H.R. 1218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions.
- H.R. 1293** To amend title 46, United States Code, to provide equitable treatment with respect to State and local income taxes for certain individuals who perform duties on vessels.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.

- H.R. 1488** To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the Social Security Act to repeal provisions relating to the State enforcement of child support obligations and the disbursement of such support and to require the Internal Revenue Service to collect and disburse such support through wage withholding and other means.
- H.R. 1658** To provide a more just and uniform procedure for Federal civil forfeitures, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2436** To amend title 18, United States Code, and the Uniform Code of Military Justice to protect unborn children from assault and murder, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2551** To amend title 18, United States Code, to require Federal Prison Industries to compete of its Federal contracts to minimize unfair competition with private firms (depriving law-abiding workers of job opportunities), to save taxpayer dollars by empowering Federal contracting officers to be able to acquire commercial products that better meet agencies' needs, more quickly and at less cost without having to obtain permission from Federal Prison Industries, to further empower contracting officers to compel Federal Prison Industries to fully perform its contract obligations to the same extent as all other contractors, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3083** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide protection for battered immigrant women, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3159** To impose a moratorium on large agribusiness mergers and to establish a commission to review large agriculture mergers, concentration, and market power.
- H.R. 3192** To restore food stamp benefits for aliens, to provide States with flexibility in administering the food stamp vehicle allowance, to index the excess shelter expense deduction to inflation, to authorize additional appropriations to purchase and make available additional commodities under the emergency food assistance program, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3295** To provide for the payment of compensation to the families of the Federal employees who were killed in the crash of a United States Air Force CT-43A aircraft on April 3, 1996, near Dubrovnik, Croatia, carrying Secretary of Commerce Ronald H. Brown and 34 others.
- H.R. 3418** To establish a compensation program for employees of the Department of Energy, its contractors, subcontractors, and beryllium vendors, who sustained a beryllium-related illness due to the performance of their duty; to establish a compensation program for certain workers at the Paducah, Kentucky, gaseous diffusion plant; to establish a pilot program for examining the possible relationship between workplace exposure to radiation and hazardous materials and illnesses or health conditions, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3495** To establish a compensation program for Department of Energy employees injured in Federal nuclear activities.
- H.R. 3615** To amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to ensure improved access to the signals of local television stations by multi-channel video providers to all households which desire such service in unserved and underserved rural areas by December 31, 2006.
- H.R. 3660** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban partial-birth abortions.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4339** To prohibit excessive concentration resulting from mergers among certain purchasers, processors, and sellers of livestock, poultry, and basic agricultural commodities; to require the Attorney General to establish an Office of Special Counsel for Agriculture, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4398** To establish a compensation and health care program for employees of the Department of Energy, its contractors, subcontractors, and certain vendors, who have sustained beryllium and radiation-related injury, illness, or death due to the performance of their duties, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 5189** To provide for the payment of compensation for certain individuals employed in connection with Federal nuclear weapons programs who sustained occupational illness in the line of duty, and for other purposes.

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- H.Res. 254** Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives condemning recent hate crimes in Illinois and Indiana.
- H.J.Res. 31** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to the right to life.

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- H.R. 123** To amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States.
- H.R. 218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.
- H.R. 347** To protect the right to obtain firearms for security, and to use firearms in defense of self, family, or home, and to provide for the enforcement of such right.
- H.R. 461** To amend rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure regarding representations made to courts by or on behalf of, and court sanctions applicable with respect to, prisoners.
- H.R. 492** To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide a national standard in accordance with which nonresidents of a State may carry certain concealed firearms in the State, and to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.
- H.R. 639** To implement equal protection under the 14th article of amendment to the Constitution for the right to life of each born and preborn human person from the moment of fertilization.
- H.R. 775** To establish certain procedures for civil actions brought for damages relating to the failure of any device or system to process or otherwise deal with the transition from the year 1999 to the year 2000, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 850** To amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption.
- H.R. 851** To require the Federal Communications Commission to establish improved predictive models for determining the availability of television broadcast signals.
- H.R. 894** To encourage States to incarcerate individuals convicted of murder, rape, or child molestation.
- H.R. 1002** To amend the Act popularly known as the Declaration of Taking Act to require that all condemnations of property by the Government proceed under that Act.
- H.R. 1032** To prohibit civil liability actions from being brought or continued against manufacturers, distributors, dealers, or importers of firearms or ammunition for damages resulting from the misuse of their products by others.
- H.R. 1178** To amend section 922 of chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to protect the rights of citizens under the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
- H.R. 1218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions.
- H.R. 1283** To establish legal standards and procedures for the fair, prompt, inexpensive, and efficient resolution of personal injury claims arising out of asbestos exposure, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1504** To streamline, modernize, and enhance the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture relating to plant protection and quarantine, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1554** To amend the provisions of title 17, United States Code, and the Communications Act of 1934, relating to copyright licensing and carriage of broadcast signals by satellite.

- H.R. 1598** To provide a patent term restoration review procedure for certain drug products.
- H.R. 1604** To reauthorize, and modify the conditions for, the consent of Congress to the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact and to grant the consent of Congress to the Southern Dairy Compact.
- H.R. 1607** To assist States in providing individuals a credit against State income taxes or a comparable benefit for contributions to charitable organizations working to prevent or reduce poverty and protect and encourage donations to charitable organizations, to prohibit discrimination against nongovernmental organizations and certain individuals on the basis of religion in the distribution of government funds to provide government assistance and the distribution of such assistance, to allow such organizations to accept such funds to provide such assistance without impairing the religious character of such organizations, to provide for tax-free distributions from individual retirement accounts for charitable purposes, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1714** To facilitate the use of electronic records and signatures in interstate or foreign commerce.
- H.R. 1954** To regulate motor vehicle insurance activities to protect against retroactive regulatory and legal action and to create fairness in ultimate insurer laws and vicarious liability standards.
- H.R. 2057** To amend the Revised Statutes of the United States to eliminate the chilling effect on the constitutionally protected expression of religion by State and local officials that results from the threat that potential litigants may seek damages and attorney's fees.
- H.R. 2260** To amend the Controlled Substances Act to promote pain management and palliative care without permitting assisted suicide and euthanasia, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2551** To amend title 18, United States Code, to require Federal Prison Industries to compete of its Federal contracts to minimize unfair competition with private firms (depriving law-abiding workers of job opportunities), to save taxpayer dollars by empowering Federal contracting officers to be able to acquire commercial products that better meet agencies' needs, more quickly and at less cost without having to obtain permission from Federal Prison Industries, to further empower contracting officers to compel Federal Prison Industries to fully perform its contract obligations to the same extent as all other contractors, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 2942** To extend for 6 additional months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code is reenacted.
- H.R. 2987** To provide for the punishment of methamphetamine laboratory operators, provide additional resources to combat methamphetamine production, trafficking, and abuse in the United States, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3489 \*** To amend the Communications Act of 1934 to regulate interstate commerce in the use of mobile telephones and to strengthen and clarify prohibitions on electronic eaves-dropping, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3615** To amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to ensure improved access to the signals of local television stations by multi-channel video providers to all households which desire such service in unserved and underserved rural areas by December 31, 2006.
- H.R. 3660** To amend title 18, United States Code, to ban partial-birth abortions.
- H.R. 3732** To provide for direct payment by foreign students of the information fee under section 641 of the Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1997.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4051** To establish a grant program that provides incentives for States to enact mandatory minimum sentences for certain firearms offenses, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 4468** To authorize the Drug Enforcement Administration to provide reimbursements for expenses incurred to remediate methamphetamine laboratories, and for other purposes.
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- H.R. 218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.
- H.R. 347** To protect the right to obtain firearms for security, and to use firearms in defense of self, family, or home, and to provide for the enforcement of such right.
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- H.R. 833** To amend title 11 of the United States Code, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 881** To provide that under certain conditions no sanction shall be imposed on a person by an agency for a violation of a rule and no civil or criminal sanction may be imposed by a court for a violation of a rule.
- H.R. 1032** To prohibit civil liability actions from being brought or continued against manufacturers, distributors, dealers, or importers of firearms or ammunition for damages resulting from the misuse of their products by others.
- H.R. 1250** To amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to clarify and improve the requirements for the development of an automated entry-exit control system, to enhance land border control and enforcement, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1304** To ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotiations between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act.
- H.R. 1504** To streamline, modernize, and enhance the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture relating to plant protection and quarantine, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1604** To reauthorize, and modify the conditions for, the consent of Congress to the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact and to grant the consent of Congress to the Southern Dairy Compact.
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- H.R. 2031** To provide for injunctive relief in Federal district court to enforce State laws relating to the interstate transportation of intoxicating liquor.
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- H.R. 2550** To compensate owners of private property for the effect of certain regulatory restrictions.
- H.R. 2964** To clarify that bail bond sureties and bounty hunters are subject to both civil and criminal liability for violations of Federal rights under existing Federal civil rights law, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 3444** To repeal section 658 of Public Law 104-208, commonly referred to as the Lautenberg amendment.
- H.R. 3575** To prohibit high school and college sports gambling in all States including States where such gambling was permitted prior to 1991.
- H.R. 4033** To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to clarify the procedures and conditions for the award of matching grants for the purchase of armor vests.
- H.R. 4257** To prohibit the use of Federal funds to give or withhold a preference to a marketer or vendor of firearms or ammunition based on whether the manufacturer or vendor is a party to a covered agreement, and for other purposes.
- H.J.Res. 33** Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.
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### PITTS, Joseph R. of Pennsylvania

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- H.R. 534** To amend chapter 1 of title 9 of the United States Code to permit each party to certain contracts to accept or reject arbitration as a means of settling disputes under the contracts.
- H.R. 639** To implement equal protection under the 14th article of amendment to the Constitution for the right to life of each born and preborn human person from the moment of fertilization.
- H.R. 764** To reduce the incidence of child abuse and neglect, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 775** To establish certain procedures for civil actions brought for damages relating to the failure of any device or system to process or otherwise deal with the transition from the year 1999 to the year 2000, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 894** To encourage States to incarcerate individuals convicted of murder, rape, or child molestation.
- H.R. 1218** To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions.
- H.R. 1349** To amend title 18, United States Code, to combat the overutilization of prison health care services and control rising prisoner health care costs.
- H.R. 1356** To end international sexual trafficking, and for other purposes.
- H.R. 1604** To reauthorize, and modify the conditions for, the consent of Congress to the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact and to grant the consent of Congress to the Southern Dairy Compact.

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